



Docket No.: 1341.1094

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Takanori YAMAZAKI

Serial No. 09/865,706

Group Art Unit: 3627

Confirmation No. 5744

Filed: May 29, 2001

Examiner: O CONNOR, GERALD J

For: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR SETTING SUPPORT FEE, AND COMPUTER  
PRODUCT

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX RCE**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on April 26, 2006. A request for continued examination together with the requisite fee for same is submitted herewith.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.